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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In response to the Final Office Action mailed February 5, 2008, transmitted herewith is an Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

Also enclosed is a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 by Gaku Maruyama, one of the inventors of the subject application.

The February 5, 2008 Office Action set a three-month period of time for responding. The period of time for responding expires on May 5, 2008. Accordingly, this response is timely. However, in the event that the filing of this paper is deemed not timely, applicants petition for an appropriate extension of time. The Office is authorized to charge such petition fee and any other fees that may be required in relation to this paper to **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP** Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

Respectfully submitted,
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